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William Kennard-FCC Chairman for Low-power FM  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Mr. Kennard

An article appeared in our local newspaper October 27, 1999 about "Low-Power FM radio getting some attention", if this should become a reality, I am very interested in getting a license form and the information on the requirements.

Our local radio station was sold about a year ago and since then we have very little local news and a poor selection of music. We get most of our news in our daily newspaper, but it is the following day. We also miss the beautiful music from the 40's, 50's and 60's.

I have a nice selection of relaxing music (40's, 50's and 60's), I think our community would enjoy listening to some good dance and classical music and I would like to share it with them.

Back in the early 40's we didn't have a radio station but we had a business man in town that sold records and also repaired radios. Most every Sunday he had an AM low powered transmitter (one tube) and he would keep our small town in nice music for a few hours. Can I do this if I use the part of the AM band that is not in use? Where can I get this equipment for transmitting?(Low-power )

I am a retiree and would enjoy doing this. A response would be appreciated. Thank you for giving this your time.

Sincerely:

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